Supplemental Allowance

- 1. The following Supplemental Allowance has been provided to correct the inadvertent error noted on PTOL-37 mailed 1/14/09. On the PTOL-37 mailed 1/14/09 box 7 was incorrectly checked. However, no Examiner's Amendment or Comments were included in the allowance. Accordingly a corrected PTOL-37 Is provided herein. Examiner apologizes for any inconvenience this may have caused Applicant.
- 2. Papers related to this application may be submitted to Group 1600 by facsimile transmission. The faxing of such papers must conform to the notice published in the Official Gazette, 1096 OG 30 (November 15, 1989). The Group 1641 Central Fax number is (571) 273-8300, which is able to receive transmissions 24 hours/day, 7 days/week. In the event Applicant would like to fax an unofficial communication, the Examiner should be contacted for the appropriate Right Fax number.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Lisa V. Cook whose telephone number is (571) 272-0816. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday - Friday from 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Mark Shibuya, can be reached on (571) 272-0806.

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